

A perspective view of a long, empty hallway. The floor is made of large, light-colored tiles arranged in a diamond pattern. The walls are white and have several doors along both sides. The hallway leads to a bright light at the far end, creating a strong sense of depth. The text "THE KIRK of Bonnie Brae" is overlaid at the top in a large, bold, white font with a black outline.

THE KIRK of Bonnie Brae

**NOVEMBER 9, 2025
WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

Order of Worship

November 9, 2025

Prelude		Matthew Kingham
*Gathering Song	<i>"The Kin-dom is Yours"</i>	On Screen
Welcome & Announcements		Rev. Selena Wright
*Passing of the Peace		Rev. Wright
God makes peace within us; LET US CLAIM IT. God makes peace between us; LET US SHARE IT. <i>Please take a moment to greet those near you.</i>		
*Hymn	<i>"O Mighty God, When I Survey in Wonder"</i>	NCH 35
Guiding Prayer & Jesus' Prayer		Rev. John Davidson
Choral Anthem	<i>"In This Very Room"</i>	Kirk Choir
Children's Moment		Riss Kostelnick
Scripture	Luke 20:27-38	Ann Karlberg
Message		Rev. Wright
Response	<i>"Out of Strange Unlikely Places"</i>	On Screen
Stewardship Moment		Ann Karlberg
<i>To donate to the Kirk, there is a plate on the back table. You can also visit the Donate section on our website or text the dollar amount you wish to give to 833-262-8879.</i>		
Prayer Stations		Rev. Wright
<i>All are welcome to share the bread and the cup and engage in our prayer stations throughout the sanctuary.</i>		
Community Prayers		Rev. Wright
*Closing Song	<i>"I Will Never Be"</i>	On Screen
*Benediction		Rev. Wright
Postlude		Matthew Kingham

****Please rise in body or in spirit***

QUOTES TO INSPIRE

"Jesus insists, God is not god of the hypothetical. God is not a god of what has no impact on life. God is not god of the dead. God is God of life. God is God of a covenant still in effect. God is God of the living."

— Cheryl Lindsay

KIRK CALENDAR

Sunday, November 9	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	DIG for Adults Worship Bell Choir Practice Youth Group	Lower Level Sanctuary & YouTube Sanctuary Lower Level
Monday, November 10	1:00 p.m.	Mission Team	On Zoom
Tuesday, November 11	1:00 p.m.	Conversations With Scripture	Office & Zoom
Thursday, November 13	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Saturday, November 15	4:00 p.m.	Postcard Writing Event	Lower Level
Sunday, November 16	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	DIG for Adults Worship Youth Group	Lower Level Sanctuary & YouTube Lower Level

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kirk's Bell Choir

Our holiday bell choir has begun practicing! They will rehearse today after worship and also on November 30, December 7 and 21. All are welcome regardless of experience!

Postcard Writing Event, Saturday, November 15, at 4:00 p.m., Lower Level

We invite you to join us as we write postcards to congressional members and other influential people in our community. We have already selected some topics and recipients, but you are welcome to bring your own ideas as well! This is a great opportunity to make your voice heard amidst current challenges, and to show appreciation for those making a positive impact.

Faithful Adulting Thanksgiving Dinner: Saturday, November 22, 5 p.m., Lower Level

Everyone in our Faithful Adulting Group (ages 20s–40s) is invited to join us for our annual Friendsgiving! A Sign-Up Genius link is available [HERE](#) for those who would like to bring a side dish to share. Mark your calendars and get ready for a wonderful evening of food and friendship. Kids are welcome!

Time to Deck the Halls!

On November 23, after worship, we will Deck the Halls in preparation for the Advent and Christmas seasons. There is plenty to do to get both the inside and outside of the church ready for the holidays. There are tasks for every ability, from our youngest children to our seniors. Once we're finished, we'll share a meal together. We invite everyone to bring a soup or a pie to share!

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KIRK OF BONNIE BRAE, UCC

CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Mission: The Kirk of Bonnie Brae UCC is a progressive church rooted in Christianity and welcoming to spiritual seekers from all backgrounds who are pursuing depth in relationship with God, Earth, and a community through engaged faith and social justice.

OPEN & AFFIRMING STATEMENT

Welcome to the Kirk of Bonnie Brae! We believe that all people are children of God and are created in the image of God. We believe that welcoming all people was and is at the heart of the ministry of Jesus. We find joy in being a diverse community of faith, and welcome everyone to join our spiritual journey. We celebrate people ...

of all ages, races, and ethnicities;
of all gender identities and gender expressions;
of all sexual orientations;
of all faith backgrounds and no faith background;
of all viewpoints on the issues impacting our society;
of differing physical and mental abilities;
who are single, married, divorced, separated, widowed or partnered;
who are well-fed or hungry, sheltered or homeless;
who wonder how a congregation could welcome
all of the above.

We welcome and celebrate you!

TO CONTACT THE CHURCH

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